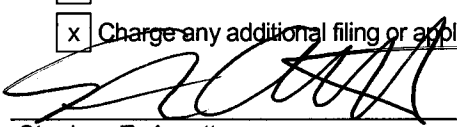


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Applicant(s): Hiatt et al.					
Invention: MICROELECTRONIC DEVICES AND METHODS FOR FILLING VIAS IN MICROELECTRONIC DEVICES					
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
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Sir:

The present communication responds to the Office Action dated October 30, 2007 in the above-identified application. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 9.